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BANNER DAY AT STOCKYARDS.

Largest Shipments East Ever Made in One Day-Home Grown Hogs.

Yesterday was the banner day at the stock yards in several respects. During the day 210 carloads of stock arrived, and at the close of the day every head of cattle, sheep and hogs was sold. The shipments East were the largest ever made in one day, one firm shipping thirty cars (double deckers) loaded with hogs for New England points and several carloads of cattle. Shippers were much elated that the Big Four and the Pennsylvania were ready to furnish all cars wanted. As a result the Big Four took out sixty carloads and the Panhandle fifty-two loads and home packers took the rest of the hogs and cattle. At the present time there are buyers here At the present time there are buyers here representing every important point in the East, including Buffalo and Pittsburg. More stock is now being bought for New England points, and if cars are plentiful Indianapolis will continue to be an important market. New England buyers prefer Indiana and Illinois hogs, as they are usually more healthy and better fattened. Some fine export cattle have been shipped from this market in the last few weeks, and more are soon to follow. Frank Landers still has two hundred head for export, which will be as well fattened as the two hundred shipped a month ago.

No. 56 K. of P. to Celebrate. Handsome invitations have been issued by the Knights of Pythias, Indianapolis Lodge, No. 56, for the observance of the twentieth anniversary, to be celebrated at the Propylacum Monday evening. There will be music, dancing and refreshments, The committees are: Executive-Charles A. Bookwalter, C. C.; Samuel P. Stoddard, P. J. O'Mara, William S. Budd, Frank J. Stripp, V. C., Charles E. Thornton, T. J. McAvoy, Charles H. Adam and E. J. Heeb. Reception—Samuel P. Stoddard, T. J. McAvoy, Otto Keller, Frank W. Flanner and George T. Bruenig. Floor—P. J. O'Mara, A. E. Cook, Charles Green, Charles Buntel, Otto Keller, P. C., Edward Park, William H. Nickerson, B. M. Aiken and Charles

Sale of Schrader's Store. Schrader's china store. Everything in the store must be sold at a big bargain and at prices that will close the business. Sale until

AFTER MR. BRADBURY

ACTION AGAINST HIM IN COURT.

His Rash Charges, Without Evidence Not to the Liking of the Officials.

It is more than probable that D. N. Bradbury, who made such sweeping charges of corruption against the members of the Board of Public Works to the Council investigating committee day before yesterday, will be given an opportunity to explain himself. The Mayor and members of the board held a consultation yesterday and it was the sentiment of all that the charges should not go unnoticed. The Mayor naturally regards them as a reflection upon him, and he is anxious for a further inquiry. Members of the board regard the statement of Bradbury, in which he stated they were corrupt and there was a "pipe line" between the board and the contractors, as a reflection upon their integrity. Several attorneys have advised them to bring a damage suit against Bradbury and allow nim to prove his charges, if possible. The board members have about decided upon this action, should the committee not examine Bradbury to their satisfaction before the work of investigation ends. President Wildman was asked yesterday what he thought of Bradbury's testimony and he replied, he would rather not say anything until the committee has finished its work. "Then the board may have something to say," he added. Mayor Denny also declined to talk at present.

The Council committee has about decided to recall Mr. Bradbury and pin him down nore closely regarding the foundation for the charge of corruption. It was suggested yesterday that an attorney be employed to do all of the questioning from now on, as it has been charged that the committee do not follow up "pointers" with the alacrity that a lawyer would. It is the wish of Mayor Denny and the board that when Mr. Bradbury is recalled he be questioned closely and in detail, and be made to tell why he thinks there is corruption in the criticism was heard yesterday among attorneys of Bradbury's testimony, which has caused more excitement than any evi-dence furnished the committee. An attornew made the following statement to the

"As a lawyer, Mr. Bradbury ought to know that his testimony was of no value and that the same kind of evidence is never allowed in a court. When a witness becomes abusive he is told to stop, and I am surprised at Mr. Bradbury in giving such testimony and in the committee in allowing him to continue." Regarding Mr. Bradbury's statement to the effect that the Elm street sewer was a needless improvement, it might be recalled that the papers for that improvement were

prepared by the old Democratic ad-ministration, and that nearly all of the sewer work done by the present board is a part of the work outlined by an expert, who was employed by the Sullivan administration. There seems to be a false impression in reference to the charges that certain city employes have been acting as agents for a stone company, and a belief that the charge is a light one, for the reason that but \$6.62 was paid as a commission for stone sold the city. The charge is more serious, however. What the committee is trying to get after is the amount of stone purchased in the city of the Kokomo company and prove that officials have been or have not been acting as agents. If they have, the stone company could well afford to pay them a liberal commission upon all stone sold in the city, for contractors would be desirous of using a stone which was in favor with the city employes and the company would as a result have an increased business.

ELECTRICITY AT TOMLINSON HALL Safety Board Contemplates a Change

in Lighting. The Board of Safety is figuring upon a system of electric lighting for Tomlinson Hall and the police headquarters. The buildings are lighted by gas at present, which is very expensive. It seems impossible to practice economy with gas, as it is allowed to burn at all hours. The board has asked for bids upon the putting in or the necessary appliances, and if it is shown that electricity is cheaper than gas, the Board of Public Works will be asked to authorize the change.

Expressmen Make Another Plea. The Council committee on sewers, streets and alleys had a session last night with only Messrs. Drew and Hennesy present. A large number of the owners of express wagons were given a chance to be heard on the question as to where their vehicles should stand. The ordinances have been buffeting them from point to point, and as one street after another became improved they would have to move to some other street. The conference last night was a protracted one, and although the expressmen pleaded and argued for better places they were advised that they had best accept what could be offered at this time and wait for a change of sentiment in their favor for more liberal treatment. They were told that the best that could be done now is to give them the right to such proved streets as are convenient, where owners do not make objection. The ordinance will require the expressmen first roperty before their right to the street

Victor's Saloon License Views. Henry Victor, a saloon man, had a consultation yesterday afternoon with Controller Trusler and Superintendent Powell. Victor gave his opinions upon the high saloon license proposition and a revision of the saloon laws. He states he was misquoted when it was said that he favors a \$1,000 city saloon tax. That would not, so he 'hinks, raise the general tone of the saloon business to a higher plane. There are many people conducting undesirable places that could easily pay the tax. Mr. Victor is of the opinion that but one license should be issued to one person, and no prewery or corporation should be permitted to take out a number of them. If responsible per-sons only were allowed to conduct saloons, the police would have little difficulty in en-

forcing the law, he says. Epidemics Among Children. The measle epidemic has struck the north eastern part of the city in full force, and the returns to the Board of Health indicate that many chaldren north of Home avenue and east of College avenue are down with the disease. There is an epi-demic of diphtheria in the southeastern part of the city, in the vicinity of Olive street. Five deaths from the disease in that locality have been reported this week.

For Widening Park Avenue. Worth Wright filed a petition with the Board of Public Works yesterday asking the widening of Park avenue from Eleventh street to Bedford avenue, by condemning and appropriating for street purposes five feet on each side of the avenue. No action was taken. The following pay rolls for the week ending Dec. 13 were approved: Foremen street repairs, \$57.25; sewer gang, \$127.50; bridge gang, \$137.40.

Fort Wayne Follows Our Fashion. City attorney Nind, of Fort Wayne, and a member of the Board of Works of the same city, were here yesterday, trying to gather what information they could around the city offices. Fort Wayne, it is said, watches very closely the workings of the Indianapolis charter.

School Flag Raising.

Yesterday was a red letter day in the history of district school No. 3, Center township, southeast of the city, on the road known as Sherman drive. For more than two months the teachers of the two schools, Miss Della Brown and Miss Julia T. English, and their pupils have been raising money for the purchase of a flag and poleabout \$40. Success was the reward of perseverance; and yesterday was fixed for the exercise of flag raising. All of the children of the district were present, each wearing a small flag. The programme of the school consisted of patriotic songs, a historical flag exercise and brief declamations about the flag, ending with the salute of the national flag, which the Indiana W. R. C. is introducing into the schools. These exercises were highly creditable to teachers and pupils. The school exercises were followed by admirable addresses by Capt. Wallace Foster, Mrs. Nettle Ransford, president of the Indiana Department of the W. R. C.,

R. A. Smith, principal of the Center township schools, and Rev. Mr. Knox, pastor of the Seventh Presbyterian Church. The school then formed a procession in the house and escorted their schoolmates bearing the flag to the pole, and gathered in a circle with uncovered heads as the stars and stripes were hauled to the mast-head. As its folds were swept out by the breeze, the school saluted it, sang a song and Mr. Knox offered prayer. The flag is nine by thirteen feet, the pole fifty feet high.

PROTECTION FOR THE SHOPPERS.

Extra Officers to Patrol Down Town During the Holiday Season.

Superintendent Powell issued some new orders last evening which will be in effect until after the holiday season and probably longer. He has mapped out a half dozen downtown beats. Officers will begin patrolling them at 6 o'clock in the evening and heep doing so to an hour which Mr. Powell declines to name. By this method it is hoped to protect late shoppers and women returning from work. Several girls have been insulted recently on their way home, by mashers and a stop will be put to this if possible. The patrolmen have been instructed to keep an "eye out" for suspicious persons in the crowds and officers in citizens' clothes have been ordered to citizens' clothes have been ordered to watch the street cars. Night before last a young man had a pin stolen on a North Pennsylvania-street car and several petty thefts of the kind have been reported.

STOCK MELTED AWAY

JACOB WIENER, MILLINER, AR-RESTED ON A SERIOUS CHARGE.

Alleged to Have Obtained Goods Under False Pretenses-Claims Aggregating Over \$25,000.

Jacob Wiener, until day before yesterday manager of the Newgardner millinery store at No. 41 West Washington street, was arrested last evening, shortly before 6 o'clock, by detectives Kinney and Richards, upon a warrant alleging the obtaining of property under false pretenses. The warrant was procured during the afternoon by Charles O. Roemler, acting in behalf of one of the creditors of the Newgardner store. The affidavit alleges that Wiener obtained \$617.85 worth of goods from Joseph Lazarus & Co., millinery dealers of Cincinnati, by "false representations as to the solvency and financial condition of one Rachel Newgarden," and that other firms, whose names are unknown, were defrauded in the same manner to an estimated amount of \$10,000. It is claimed by representatives of several of the creditors that there are claims against the firm aggregating between \$25,000 and \$30,000, and the creditors will make the same allegation as that contained in the affidavit. The creditors are also asking what became of the goods which they sold the firm. They allege that upon the representations made by Wiener to the effect that Mrs. Newgarden was well fixed financially they sold the firm large orders of goods upon credit, and that now there are no assets of consequence. About a year ago Harry Newgarden, the founder of the firm, became insane and was removed to a private sanitarium at Cxford, O., where he died last spring. Mrs. Newgarden continued his business, naking Wiener, who is her brother, the manager, He has had full charge of all the buying as well as the financial affairs of the house. Last July there was a fire at No. 41 West Washington street, for which Wiener col lected \$6,200 insurance for damage to the stock. Since then the creditors say they have sold him about \$20,000 worth of millinery, furs, cloaks, etc. Day before yesterday Henry Eitel, for the Union Trust Company, was appointed receiver of the store and its affairs. There are no assets except \$4,000 or \$5,000 worth of goods. The creditors have been after the firm for some time past. Many replevin suits against it have been filed, and several mortgages have been placed on the stock. Mrs. Newgarden and Wiener were enjoined last week against removing any of their property from the safety deposit vault of the Fletcher Bank The creditors are now trying to find out what became of the \$6,200 insurance, of the \$20,000 stock sold the firm, and of the money from sales since that time. It is stated that no creditor holds a claim to exceed \$1,500 against the firm. The creditors are many and scattered all over the country. For the most part they are whole-sale jobbers in the line of goods which the Newgarden store handled. Lazarus & Co.. the Cincinnati firm which took the initiative step of all the creditors, alleges that Wiener misinformed them as to the financial condition of Mrs. Newgarden, the proprietor, representing the claims against her as very few. Upon this ground it was they sold to Wiener goods upon credit.

The allegations of other creditors are much the same. Charles O. Roemler, the man who swore to the warrant, represents the Lazarus company. The arrest was made after a consultation of the attorneys representing the creditors. It is said that four firms here are interested in the presecution. Ovid Jameson in the prosecution. Ovid Jameson represents claims aggregating about \$15,000.

Griffith & Potts have in hand claims amounting to about \$8,000. Linton A. Cox represents sents creditors with claims amounting to \$4,000 and Joshua Florea is attorney for a majority of the remaining creditors. The different firms declined last night to give the names of the principal creditors. "Simply say they are legion," said one attorney, when approached.

The warrant for Wiener's arrest sworn to before Police Judge Stubbs. latter fixed the bond at \$5,000, which amount had not been procured at 10 o'clock. The detectives found Wiener near the Bates House on his way to supper. He willingly accompanied them to headquarters, when informed that he was wanted. He was slated for embezzlement, but the affidavit makes mention of no such charge. Wiener is a Hebrew, thirty-two years old, good-looking and a fine dresser. He is a fluent talker, and spoke pleasantly of other things to the reporter, but he declined to be interviewed upon his trouble. He was locked up in the "bum room," where he received his friends while awaiting bonds-

"Mr. Wiener will you not deny the charge which is made against you?" asked the re-"I will make one statement and that is all. I do not wish to talk now, but I shall when I get out of here. The charge is false, absolutely false. My arrest is the result of persecution, and in the morning I am going to file a damage suit of \$10,000 against the responsible parties."
"The creditors are asking what became of the stock they sold you from time to time. Have you anything to say in reply?"
"There is a receiver of the firm, who will give them the desired information. My transactions have been straight, as an investigation will show, and I have made no false representations to anyone Until recently Wiener lived with his wife at No. 117 North East street, but for the past few weeks he has boarded at the Cir-

cle Park Hotel. His wife has not been with him there. He is said by his friends to be temperate, and he never gambles. CHURCH CLUB LECTURES.

Bishops from Neighboring States Will Occupy the Platform.

The Church Club of Indiana has completed a programme for a series of lectures to be given by Episcopal bishops. The programme is as follows: Jan. 13, "A Conspectus of Church History," Right Rev. George F. Seymour, bishop of Springfield; Jan. 23, "St. Augustin's Mission to Britain," Right Rev. W. A. Leonard, bishop of Ohio; Jan. 27, "The Eastern Church," Right Rev. Charles R. Hale, bishop of Cairo; Feb. 10, "The English Reformation," Right Rev. Boyd Vincent, bishop of southern Feb. 24, "Why I Am a Churchman," Rev. T. W. Dudley, bishop of Kentucky; March 17, "The Church in the United States," Right Rev. William S. Perry, bishop of Iowa. The bishop of Ohio will lecture in Christ Church, while all the others will occupy

Plans have also been made for a series of semi-monthly meetings in the club rooms in the Talbott Block, to be addressed by members from the home or neighboring parishes. The first meeting will be held next Monday evening. After the holidays the meetings will be held regularly every first and third Monday evening.

Settlement of Counties. Settlements were yesterday made by counties with the Auditor of State as follows: Orange, 9,774.80, schools, \$5,693.93; Brown, \$4,363.03, schools, \$2,720.75; Greene, \$25,468.53, schools, \$13,783.49.

Special sale Diamonds this week at Mar-

BEST MEETING OF ALL

EVANGELIST CHAPMAN TALKS OF THE WORLD THAT IS LOST.

Nearly Four Thousand People Jammed Into Tomliuson Hall-A Letter from a Penitent.

"I want to read a letter to this audi ence," said evangelist Chapman, at the opening of the service at Tomlinson Hall last night. He stepped to the front of the stage and read the following: "Dear Mr. Chapman-A man who has broken perhaps every one of the ten commandments was saved in your meeting yesterday. His hands were stained with blood. He now confesses and peace pervades his soul. Thank God for the wonderful salvation. Tell the people Jesus can save the vilest sinner on the face of the earth."

Nearly four thousand people heard the missive read. The audience that packed Tomlinson Hall from auditorium to gallery was perhaps the largest that has assembled since the work of the evangelist began in Indianapolis. Hundreds of people went to the hall early and enjoyed the song service that is conducted each night. Dr. Chapman was in good voice and was strongly impressive. He talked of the lost world prefacing his discourse with the story o the rich man and Lazarus, found in the sixteenth chapter of St. Luke. Matthew xxii, 12, furnished the text. "How camest thou in hither." It would be a great misfortune, he insisted, if one knew more about heaven than has already been revealed, but it would be better for humanity to know more about the lost world.
"I would I could give you a picture of the lost world that would set you to thinking," said Dr. Chapman. "I have thought of two things that would affect a man. One would be to see Christ face to face. I have also thought that if a man could see the lost world it would move him. We are told there is weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth there. If any one should ask me to describe the lost world I would not use scripture. To my mind the picture of the rich man is enough. Proverbs say:

"The name of the wicked shall rot away, but the memory of the just shall be blessed." Sin cuts away and cuts away until at last the character, the manhood and the repuwalked the streets of New York a true man, not a Christian, but a man high in wealth and power. One day not long ago he stepped aside and broke the pledge he made to his old mother. He went down and down until a few weeks ago he reeled along the street to the home of his friend where his wife and children were living. approached the residence as his little son came out to meet him. The father met the boy at the top of the high steps and, catching him up, hurled him to the sidewalk below. A po-liceman picked up the child and carried him into the house dead. That man is a raving maniac to-day, but he was infinitely worse when in the clutch of that awful demon.
I can see no worse hell than for a man to be delivered over to himself. I would make this my prayer: 'Lord, God, save me from myself.' 'How camest thou in hither?' I want to use that as if I were pointing out to the men in the lost world. God has prepared this punishment for the devil and his angels. It's for them, not for you. But God can't save a man from himself. I should like to call to Pilate and ask: 'How camest thou in hither?' What would he say? You know that a strange book has recently come from across the sea. It is called 'Letters from Hell.' In that book is a picture of Pilate bathing his hands in the lost sea. He is saying, 'Oh, will they never be clean?' He came into the lost world because he had not the courage of his convictions. Back in the Bible there is a verse, "Turn ye, turn ye, why will you die?" Man, if you ever go into the lost world it will be over God's word. He has thrown it down before you. It's in your way. God is love, springing out now and then like a fountain. Oh, men and women, it's God. Here is His love. Not that we loved Him, but that He loved us and sent His Son to die for us. My friends, between you and the lost world the love of God is stretched and never a man will be lost without going over His love. I should say to those in the lost world: 'Wasn't there any power to keep you back?' Yes; there was a mother. Many a boy will go into hell over a mother's prayer. Many a man can say that there was a child. Men, whose children are in heaven: whose mothers have prayed and prayed? If you are lost it will be over a mother's prayer, a wife's entreaty, and a babe's death. Say what you please about the lost world; say what you please about the infinite God, but remember before you say it that I know it exists. If you ever

go to the lost world it will be over the Bible and over God's love. I beseech you to come At Central-Avenue Church. To-morrow morning, by exchange of pulpits, Rev. Dr. Coultas will preach in the Central-avenue Methodist Episcopal Church. The pulpit of Roberts Park Church will be filled at the same hour by Rev. Henry

A. Buchtel, D. D. LIFE STORY OF H. R. POMEROY.

Born in Poverty, Acquires Wealth and

Fame and Dies a Public Ward. Henry R. Pomeroy, aged seventy, died Thursday at the City Hospital, where he had been taken from the county infirmary. His was a peculiar history. Born in poverty, the son of a country physician, he rose through the successive steps of tife until at one time he was numbered among the prospective millionaires, with a fortune that seemed to be augmented by every turn of his hand; became a friend of Lincoln and a companion of Grant, and then gradually went down through the same successive steps until at last, with fortune gone, his only dependence was the charity of relatives, whom he had once served, and finally, when strong drink had mastered him,

died a ward of public charity. He was born in Newton, Fountain county, and from there removed, when still a boy, to Williamsport, Warren county. His father was able to give him only such an education as the country schools afforded and that was not much. While yet a mere boy he was appointed deputy clerk of Warren county and afterward was elected clerk, which position he held for two terms. At that time St. Louis was the gateway to the great West. Its charms allured him and he soon became connected with the Globe Democrat, gradually rising from the position of reporter to that of owner of a large interest in the paper. While in this capacity he began speculating in railroad stocks and bonds and from that time his fortune began to dwindle. He went to what was then the almost unknown southwest, and after a careful study of the geological formation, wrote a series of papers on the mining interests, which were published in the Globe Democrat and the London Times. These papers called forth a storm in the interest of a syndicate which desired to keep investors away from that part of the country. These articles attracted the attention of General Grant, who invited Pomeroy to accompany him on a trip through the West. Mr. Pomeroy made a number of investments in mining property, which, like his railroad speculations, proved disastrous. From that time on his financial downfall was rapid.

He finally drifted to this city, when he became known as an inventor, although he never profited by his labors in that line. During his stay in this city his inclination to drink intoxicants mastered him and he rapidly degenerated. It was then he aprapidly degenerated. It was then he appealed to his relatives, whom he had spurned while in affluence. Small remittances, sufficient to support himself and wife, were sent by his relatives, but all the money went to satisfy his apetite for liquor. When his relatives learned this, they refused to longer support him, and he and his wife were then sent to the county infirmary, where they remained till a short time are, when Pomerov was removed to time ago, when Pomeroy was removed to the City Hospital and his wife was taken the City Hospital and his whe was taken to the home of a relative on Hoyt avenue.

T. A. Clifton, editor of the Warren Review, who married a niece of Pomeroy, is in the city to attend the funeral, which will take place at 9 o'clock this morning. James Fennessey, manager of the Empire Theater, married another tilece.

Death of Harry J. Shellman. Word was received yesterday of the sudden death of Harry J. Shellman, which occurred Thursday at his home in Brooklyn. Mr. Shellman was formerly a well-known newspaper man in this community. He was associated with the late George C. Harding, and later with Enos B. Reed and George Schley, who owned the People. When Mr. Shellman went to New York he disposed of his interest in the paper here. He did cor-respondence and feature work for the East-

ern papers. He was married to Miss Josephine Keith, a sister of Mrs. James B. Black, who, with two children, is left. Rev. E. A. Bradley, fermerly of Christ Church, this city, will perform the burial service today in Brooklyn.

REVENUE OFFICERS INDIGNANT.

They Deny the Statement Made by Liquor Dealer Lyons.

The statements made by a liquor dealer named Lyons, of Lafayette, who was convicted yesterday of violating the law, that two revenue officers offered to settle the case if they were paid a certain amount, is indignantly denied by the revenue officials in this city. Said deputy collector Ryan saw the statement made by

Mr. Lyons, a liquor dealer of Lafayette, now being tried in the Federal Court for a violation of the revenue laws, viz.: having in his possession empty packages without the original stamps being canceled, the penalty for which is \$500 for each package so found and impris-onment. Mr. Lyons states that two of collector Jump's deputies approached him and offered to compromise the case for the sum of \$150. The statement is evidently made to cast a reflection on Mr. Jump and his deputies. Now the facts in the case are these: The packages mentioned-whisky barrels-were seized upon by special revenue agents Bowen and Nonan, of Cincinnati, and not by Mr. Jump's deputies, as stated in the Lyons interview. It has been the custom, when a violation of this kind is found, for the revenue agents making the discovery to tell the violator, as a matter of kindness to him, to make a statement of the case and to offer any reasonable excuse and also to deposit a small sum of money with the collector of the district in which the violation of the law is found. The collector then forwards the statement and the money to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue at Washington and in his discretion he may accept the of fer of compromise, in which event no prosecution follows. Now if Mr. Lyons had taken the advice of the special agents, he would not be on trial for the offense, the penalty for which is \$500 in each case, with imprisonment added. I make this statement so the public may not be under the impression that the revenue department s run as a blackmailing scheme, as Mr. Lyons in his interview infers; also in justice to Mr. Jump and his deputies. It might be well to add that the jury found Mr. Lyons

COLUMBIA LEAGUE OFFICERS.

P. J. Kelleher Elected President-A Heavy Vote Polled.

The Columbia Lincoln League broke all previous records of attendance at a club election on the South Side at its annual election of officers last night. There were two tickets in the field, the Regular and the Independent, and 130 votes were polled. There was as much interest taken in the election as in a party primary and a spirit of Republicanism displayed that has only been known in the Twelfth ward during the last two or three years. There was a deal of electioneering. The contest, though a warm one, was good natured. E. Albrecht, for recording secretary, and U. S. Watts, for corresponding secretary, were upon both tickets. The other candidates and the votes for each were: Regular—N. Follett, for president, 45; G. Steiglemyer, for vice president, 102; J. D. Brown, for treasurer, 40. Independent—P. J. Kelleher, for president, 77; George Kothe, for vice president, 17; Robert Bryson, for treasurer, 82. The Independent ticket with the ex-83. The Independent ticket, with the exception of Kothe, who was defeated by Steiglemyer, was elected. The election was conducted on the Australian system and eight ballots were thrown out. The elec-tion officers were: Inspector, Harry Ellis; judges, Thomas Gambold and Mr. Hartgen; clerks, Thomas F. Seery and Niel Mc-Groarity. When the result of the vote was announced Mr. Steiglemyer was called on for a speech. He said he was proud to see such a large attendance at a Republican club election on the South Side and it was food for Democratic reflection. It was the first time in the history of the party on the South Side that there had been such an attendance on such an occasion, and so long as such interest was manifested in Republican principles would the party be successful on the South Side. He said he had seen the time, and not many years ago, when four Republicans attended a primary in that ward to select delegates to the State convention. Messrs. Kothe, Follett and Bryson also spoke.

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The faculty of the Medical College of Indiana met last night and decided to erect a new college building early in the spring on the site now owned by the college at the northwest corner of Misissippi and Market streets, opposite the Statehouse. The building will cost in the neighborhood of \$50,000 and will be devoted exclusively to the purposes of the college, which has now grown to be one of the latest institutions of the West and will be a model one in every respect. The building committee appointed consists of the college executive committee, Drs. Joseph Marsee, dean; Dr. Franklin W. Hays, secretary, and Dr. John Ollver, treasurer, and Drs. W. N. Wishard, L. H. Dunning and L. C. Kline. Drs. Marsee, Hays and Dunning, all of whom have given study to the arrangements and construction of medical college buildings and who have observed the plans and sys-tem of medical colleges abroad will visit a number of cities where medical college buildings have been recently erected and will apply their own knowledge, together with what they may gain by studying these institutions, to the new structure which is to go up here in the spring.

This new college building, with the wide prestige and standing the Medical College of Indiana has in the country, will be a great gain for the city, which has so rapidly advanced in the last few years as a special educational center. The college now has an enrollment of nearly two hundred students which is almost up to the atstudents, which is almost up to the at-tendance of the largest colleges in the East,

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